



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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Requesting Department: Environmental Services Department
9601 Ridgehaven Court, Ste 310
San Diego CA 92123

Title: Long-Term Waste Management Options Strategic Plan
Submittal Due Date: July 20, 2006
Project Manager: Sylvia M. Castillo, P.E., (858) 492-5032

The City of San Diego Environmental Services Department (ESD) is soliciting proposals from experienced Environmental Consulting firms to identify and evaluate activities, programs, facilities, and technologies that will provide sustainability, resource conservation, source reduction, recycling, diversion, disposal options and ensure public health and environmental protection, as well as, extend the life of the City's Miramar Landfill. The Consultant will be responsible for the development, and assistance in the implementation, of an integrated solid waste management strategic plan

The Request for Proposal (RFP) will be available electronically from John Mendivil, Consultant Services Coordinator, at JMendivil@saniego.gov beginning Friday, June 9, 2006. All technical questions regarding the project should be directed to the project manager, Sylvia Castillo at (858) 492-5032, by Fax at (858) 492-5041 or at SMCastillo@saniego.gov.

SUBMIT PROPOSAL TO:

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Proposals must be received at the location stated above before 4:00 P.M., Thursday, July 20, 2006. All proposals must be in full accordance with the RFP. There will be a Pre-proposal meeting on Thursday, June 22, 2006 at 10:30 A.M. at 9601 Ridgehaven Court, Suite #210, San Diego, CA 92123.

COMMITMENT TO EQUAL OPPORTUNITY:

It is the policy of the City of San Diego to encourage equal opportunity in its professional services contracts. Toward this end, proposals from small businesses, disabled owned businesses, women owned businesses, firms owned by African-Americans, Native Americans, Asian-Americans, Filipinos, Latinos, and local firms are strongly encouraged. Prime Consultants are encouraged to retain subconsultant or joint venture with these firms. The City endeavors to do business with firms sharing the City's commitment to

equal opportunity and will not do business with any firm that discriminated on the basis of race, religion, color, ancestry, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, medical condition, or place of birth.

If your firm wishes to claim status as a certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) or a Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) please attach a copy of your certificate. If your firm is not currently certified and is interested in participation as a DBE in the Unified Certification Program (UCB) of California or wishes to obtain DVBE status, the applications, information and directions are available at the following websites:

DBE: www.dot.ca.gov/hg/bep

DVBE: www.pd.ca.gov/smbus/default.htm

GENERAL DESCRIPTION AND SCOPE OF SERVICES:

Phase I

1. Identify and evaluate the City of San Diego's current and Long-Term Waste Management needs.
2. Review and evaluate the City's current solid waste financial program, and provide recommendations for improved efficiencies and services
3. Identify and analysis existing and future solid waste management plans of other municipalities and industries in the region.
4. Organize and facilitate a participatory decision-making committee involving the community and various stakeholders.
5. Identify and evaluate alternatives, options and improvement to the existing solid waste management system.
6. Identify and evaluate innovative and new technologies in solid waste and recycling.
7. Develop a feasibility Matrix and prioritize the options.
8. Prepare a Long-Term Waste Management Options (LWMO) document that includes a comprehensive analysis of the current and future disposal needs, financial program, policy considerations, facility and program recommendations

Phase II

1. Perform detail analysis and evaluation of select facilities and options identified in Phase I.
2. Identify and analyze potential city owned and non city owned properties that may be considered for locating proposed facilities.
3. Prepare a 5 year, 10 year, and post Miramar Landfill Closure Financial Plan that includes the cost impacts of existing facilities and proposed facilities and options.
4. Identify revenue sources and other financial instruments to support the existing and proposed facilities and programs.
5. Develop a Policy and Implementation Strategy Plan and determine phasing and scheduling over the next 25 years.

6. Prepare a LWMO Strategic Plan document that includes the select alternatives and facilities, the impacts of these alternative, funding opportunities, Policy changes, scheduling, and an Implementation strategy.